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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA
MISSOULA DIVISION**

SAMANTHA ALARIO, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

and

TIKTOK INC.,

Consolidated Plaintiff,

v.

AUSTIN KNUDSEN, *in his official capacity as Attorney General of the State of Montana,*

Defendant.

CV 23-56-M-DWM
CV 23-61-M-DWM

JOINT STATUS REPORT

The parties, through their respective counsel, jointly file this status report pursuant to the Court's Order dated May 15, 2024. Dkt. No. 135.

On May 15, 2024, this Court, at the joint request of the parties, stayed this case pending resolution of Consolidated Plaintiff TikTok Inc.'s petition for review in the D.C. Circuit (Case No. 24-1113) of the Foreign Adversary Controlled Applications Act, Pub. L. No. 118-50, div. H, 138 Stat. 895, 955-60 (2024) (the "Act"). Dkt. No. 135. The Court directed the parties to file a status report within 30 days of the final adjudication of the D.C. Circuit action. *Id.*

On January 17, 2025, the Supreme Court affirmed the D.C. Circuit's decision upholding the Act as constitutional, marking the final adjudication of Consolidated Plaintiff TikTok Inc.'s petition for review. Dkt. No. 136-1.

On January 20, 2025, President Trump signed an Executive Order directing his Attorney General not to take any action on behalf of the United States to enforce the Act for 75 days in order to permit his Administration an opportunity to determine the appropriate course of action with respect to TikTok. Dkt. No. 136-2.

On February 6, 2025, the parties filed a joint motion to extend the stay of proceedings in this case, pending the President's determination of an appropriate course of action with respect to TikTok. Dkt. No. 136.

On February 11, 2025, the Court of Appeals extended the stay of proceedings in the Ninth Circuit until May 12, 2025. Dkt. No. 137.

The parties' joint motion to extend the stay in this Court, Dkt. No. 136, is pending. For the reasons stated in that motion, the parties respectfully submit that a further stay of proceedings is appropriate.

DATED this 18th day of February, 2025.

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